



**METHOD OF IMPROVING THE  
FUNCTION OF AN HOUR GLASS**

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Dear Honorable Examiner:

As requested please find enclosed the corrections for the above specified application. Thank you for your reviewing the enclosed and I will look forward to your reply and further instructions.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T.K. Bryant".

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P.S. The drawings were sent with the original filing.

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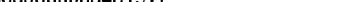
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